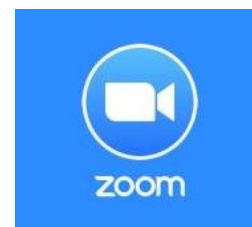


Learning Disability Partnership Board Wednesday 3rd March Being Well Theme – Coronavirus Vaccine



Meeting minutes	
 	The meeting was held on zoom. Everyone introduced themselves at the start of the meeting. Not all attendees could stay for the whole meeting. But we had up to 36 people on the zoom. Councillor Asghar Khan and Em Pearson were our co-chairs. The meeting looked at the Being Well theme in the Being Me strategy with a focus on the coronavirus vaccine.
	Simon Cluderay, the Leeds programme lead for learning disability talked through the vaccine programme and gave a general update and information specific to people with a learning disability.
	Julie Royle-Evatt, RNLD Strategic Health Facilitator talked about the covid vaccination, the reasons to have the vaccination and possible side effects. She took the meeting through the Top Tips documents here: https://www.learningdisabilityservice-leeds.nhs.uk/get-checked-out/resources/covid-19/



Alison Conyers, Lead Professional, Learning Disabilities and Autism talked about Reasonable Adjustments that can be requested for vaccinations.

She suggested that if you are going to one of the vaccination centres, you telephone 07425 061 846 to plan your visit before you go if you need extra support. Please phone between 11am and 3pm.



Alison Conyers shared a video of when she had her vaccination [Link to the video](#)



The meeting attendees talked about positive stories from people who have had the coronavirus vaccine and the idea was shared about putting together a poster of these positive stories. Julie agreed to follow up on this and share a poster [here](#) when ready.

If you have had your vaccination and would be interested in sharing your experience as a good news story please forward your contact details to Rosie at: learningdisabilitypartnershipboard@leeds.gov.uk



The meeting attendees split into 4 groups into the zoom breakout rooms to talk about the information and experiences shared in the meeting. This was also a time to ask any questions that people still had on the vaccine.

	Any Other Business Julie Royle-Evatt shared easy read documents on having the vaccine, and supporting people to have the vaccine, both are available here. The Reasonable Adjustments care plan will also be available here. Cllr Bithell suggested having Vaccine Champions. Sally at People Matters offered to support this through some funding they have secured and Claire agreed to discuss this more at the next People's Parliament.
	Close of meeting - Councillor Khan and Em Pearson thanked all the guest speakers and board members for coming to the meeting.
If you have any questions or suggestions following on from the meeting, please email learningdisabilitypartnershipboard@leeds.gov.uk	